

House Resolution No. 2765

Whereas, Daniel Adison Ayers was presented with the Venturing Silver Award by the Boy Scouts of America organization during a special ceremony held on December 22, 2002; and

Whereas, Daniel, a member of Venturing Crew 395 and Boy Scout Troop 389, successfully met the requirements to attain the Silver Award by completing all the stringent requirements for that prestigious honor; and

Whereas, during his years in Scouting, Daniel mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn the Arrow of Light, thirty-eight merit badges, the Eagle Scout Award, the Venturing Leadership Award, the Venturing Bronze and Gold Awards, charter membership in the Order of the Flame, the status of Firebuilder Little Tracking Hunter in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say, and membership in the Venturing Officers Association; and

Whereas, Daniel demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Patrol Leader, Junior Assistant Scoutmaster, Assistant Scoutmaster, Senior Patrol Leader, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Venturing Crew Secretary, Venturing Crew President, and Vice President of the Venturing Officers Association; and

Whereas, Daniel developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include camping 383 nights; traveling 491 miles afoot or afloat; attending Camp Bartle, Camp Naish, and Camp Geiger; working on staff at Cub Scout Day Camp, SNAWS, Merit Badge College, the Odyssey Begins, and Odyssey 3; and going on High Adventure trips to the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness and Philmont Scout Ranch; and

Whereas, a 2001 graduate of Oak Park High School, Daniel has also enjoyed recognition by being a member of the New Generations Singers, an Emergency Medical Technician, and a student at Northwest Missouri State University, where he is majoring in theater, technical and design:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Daniel Ayers for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the Venturing Silver Award and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Daniel Adison Ayers.

Offered by _____
Representative Philip Willoughby
District No. 33

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2765, adopted May 9, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker